



1641/44
PATENT
Attorney Docket No.: AURO1290-4

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants: Knapp et al. Art Unit: 1641
Application No.: 09/759,629 Examiner: G. Gailene
Filed: January 12, 2001
Title: PHOTON REDUCING AGENTS FOR FLUORESCENCE ASSAYS

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

RECEIVED
JUN 11 2003
TECH CENTER 1600/2800

TRANSMITTAL LETTER

Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing in connection with the above-identified application, please find the following:

1. Amendment in Response to the Office Action mailed March 11, 2003 (18 pages);
2. Check No. 538393 in the amount of \$18.00; and
3. Return Receipt Postcard.

CERTIFICATION UNDER 37 CFR §1.8

I hereby certify that the documents referred to as enclosed herein are being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first class mail on June 11, 2003, in an envelope addressed to: Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.

Karen LePari
Karen LePari

In re Application of:
Knapp et al.
Application No.: 09/759,629
Filed: January 12, 2001
Page 2

PATENT
Attorney Docket No.: AURO1290-4

The Fee for this Response is calculated as follows:

For	Claims Remaining After Amendment	Highest Number Previously Paid For	Extra Claims	Small Entity Rate	Large Entity Rate	Calculations
Total Claims	44	43	1	x \$09	x \$18	\$18.00
Independent Claims	2	3	0	x \$42	X \$84	\$ 0.00
Multiple Claims				\$140	\$280	\$ 0.00
Basic Filing Fee				\$370	\$740	\$0.00
					TOTAL FEE	\$ 18.00

Enclosed is Check No. 538393 in the total amount of \$18.00 as payment for the extra claim fee. The Commissioner is authorized to charge any other fees, or credit any overpayments, to Deposit Account No. 50-1355. A duplicate copy of this Transmittal Sheet is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

Date: June 11, 2003



Lisa A. Haile, Ph.D.
Registration No. 38,347
Telephone: (619) 677-1456
Facsimile: (619) 677-1465

GRAY CARY WARE & FREIDENRICH LLP
4365 Executive Drive, Suite 1100
San Diego, California 92121-2133
USPTO Customer Number 28213



AURO1290-4

#13/C
6/23/03
MN

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants: Knapp et al. Art Unit: 1641
Application No.: 09/759,629 Examiner: G. Gailene
Filed: January 12, 2001
Title: PHOTON REDUCING AGENTS FOR FLUORESCENCE ASSAYS

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

RECEIVED
JUN 11 2003
TECH CENTER 1600/2900

AMENDMENT

Sir:

Responsive to the Office Action mailed March 11, 2003, in connection with the above-identified patent application, entry of the amendments and consideration of the following remarks are respectfully requested.

CERTIFICATION UNDER 37 CFR §1.8

I hereby certify that the documents referred to as enclosed herein are being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first class mail on June 11, 2003, in an envelope addressed to: Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.

Karen LePari

Karen LePari

06/16/2003 CCHAU1 00000073 09759629

01 FC:1202

18.00 0P